HOUSE BILL 3112

By Richardson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 45, relative to banks and financial institutions.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 45, is amended by adding the following as a new chapter:

§ 45-20-2101. For purposes of this chapter, "payday lender" means any person or entity providing individuals with short-term cash loans or any funds in anticipation of future receipt of wages.

§ 45-20-2102. No person or entity transacting business as a payday lender located within or without the state shall provide or offer to provide to an individual in this state any loan or funds by means of the Internet or other online service.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.